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"Morgie" Retires After 34 Years Behind the Wicket

Mr. H. Morgan, connected with the post office here since November, 1920, "signed off" on Sunday, Oct. 31, following 34 years of continuous service with the department.

"Morgie," as he was called by young and old alike, joined the staff here as assistant in November, 1920, and was made postmaster in January, 1922. At that time the post office was situated where Mac's Hardware now stands. It was moved to the present location in 1925 and was renovated and modernized in 1950.

Mr. Morgan served on several committees and clubs during his tenure here. He is a charter member of Didsbury Branch No. 106, Canadian Legion and served overseas from 1915 to 1918 in World War I. He was an active Red Cross worker and helped greatly in bond drives during the last world war.

The retiring postmaster is a member of King Hiram Lodge, A.F. & A.M. and has served as secretary of that lodge since 1922. He is a holder of the Coronation Medal, as well as the long service badge from the Post Office Department.

Morgie was president of the Canadian Postmasters' Association for three terms and served as president of the provincial body for 11 years; he was a member of the Didsbury group of the Alberta group until 1951.

Up until 1933 Mr. Morgan lived on a farm 4½ miles from town and walked (we repeat walked) the distance both ways in all kinds of weather, until 1933. He was late but once, when a fierce blizzard caused him to slow up a bit. It is reported the people on his route to and from town were able to set their clocks by the schedule he kept.

Following a stay in hospital, Mr. Morgan is now residing with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Mullin.

We join with his innumerable friends and acquaintances in wishing him many, many years of retired freedom.

POST OFFICE CHANGES
Mrs. E. Leavena, who has been chief assistant at the local post office since August, 1949 has retired from that position and will leave shortly to take up residence with her father in Calgary.

Mr. Gordon McPhee of Red Deer has arrived in town to temporarily fill in the capacity of postmaster. Applications are now being received for the permanent position.

WESTERDALE NEWS

Dr. and Mrs. C. Lee and son Leonard of Calgary were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. P. Babki and also called briefly at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Jackson.

Mr. Joe White and Mr. Jim Jackson left on Friday on a short hunting trip in the Nordberg district.

A very successful masquerade dance was held at the hall Friday evening when \$54.00 was raised. Costume winners were Mrs. D. Herbert dressed as a cannibal, and Mr. J. Cowie as a sailor, honorable mention was Miss Delores Allen and Mr. Edwin Jackson Jr. as the best dressed couple.

Halloween pranksters played havoc at the school Saturday evening, pulling down stone pipes, breaking window panes, pushing over out buildings and littering scattering pupils books hither and yon, what destructive amusement.

While travelling East of the H. Rowell farm, last week Mr. D. Herbert and Donna spotted a lynx along the road side. Not being fortunate enough to have a rifle along, Mr. Herbert picked up a rock and threw it at the lynx, knocking him flat. However, after a few seconds, the animal recovered and disappeared into the bush.

Mr. W. Wigley, Mr. M. McRae and Mrs. B. Fry left last week on a hunting trip in the Pincher Creek area.

The school children and teacher, Miss Cassan, entertained the parents at an enjoyable party last Tuesday afternoon.

BIRTHS AT THE DIDSBURY MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL

To Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tappe, of Cremona, on October 30, a son.

C.P.R. TRAIN TIMES AT DIDSBURY

Northeast:

No. 521 Daily 1:13 a.m.

No. 527 Daily 10:02 a.m.

No. 525 Daily (Dayliner) 7:28 p.m.

Southwest:

No. 522 Daily 5:00 a.m.

No. 524 Daily (Dayliner) 11:10 a.m.

No. 528 Daily 6:16 p.m.

JUST WHO WAS THE GOAT AT THE FINISH

Franksters undoubtedly not of the younger variety kidnapped a goat on Halloween night and installed it in the bedroom of one of the town fathers, Councillor Clint Reiber.

Upon arriving home from his tour of duty, Mr. Reiber proceeded to his slumber room, only to find the goat resting peacefully and chewing on the bed clothes in the process.

From there on it was a question of who was the goat, as it was shunned from one residence to another. On Sunday morning the animal was still without a home. Shepherd Reiber entered the home of this writer with the creature on a leash Sunday morning and after inspecting the premises thoroughly, left by the back door. From the looks of claw steps the pair left just in time!

South West Didsbury

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shantz and family were Monday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Dippel and Carole.

The Misses Fern and Beverly Eckstrand have had a siege of measles. Fern will be able to return to school on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elmore and family of Kuno, Idaho, were Wednesday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hunsperger.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wrightson and Paddy move to Didsbury on Saturday.

Mr. Victor Gore and family of Calgary and Mrs. Max Noley and family of Olds, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hunsperger and family, Mrs. D. B. Wood and Miss Sarah Zook were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jackson and family of Acme.

Robert Harkin, L.A.C., left Monday for North Bay, Ont. after spending the last month at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meyer and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Arnold at Bowden Sunday afternoon and later called on Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bartz and Arlene.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richter of Calgary were Monday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bata and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Short and family moved Monday to the farm vacated by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wrightson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Good and family of Calgary spent several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Weber and Donald.

Rev. D. W. Parks of New Westminster, B.C., Ruben Stiles of Athabasca and Miss Florence Dieffenbacher were Monday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Weber.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Weber and family were Sunday and Monday visitors with the latter's mother in Red Deer.

Knox Evening Group Meets

Knox United Evening Group W.A. met at the home of Mrs. Ed Klink on Tuesday, Oct. 26, with 16 members and four visitors present. Devotional was given by Mrs. Ray Campbell. Roll call was a penny for each birthday, also a penny for each anniversary of marriage.

The sum of \$270 was the proceeds of the fowl supper. There were few expenses but most of the amount went towards the work done in the kitchen at the church. The Thursday group donated \$25 which greatly assisted in paying all outstanding accounts. Total amount spent on the kitchen by the W.A.'s was approximately \$630. This amount does not include the plumbing and fixtures. This work was done by the church board.

The manse report was given by Mr. W. Goebel. Visiting report and a report of the cleaning bee held at the church recently was given by the convener, Mrs. H. Roberts.

It was agreed by the 10 members present at the bee that all members not present would be asked to donate \$1 each. This money would help to pay for wax and pay Mrs. Anderson for applying wax both upstairs and downstairs.

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Church Parade In Redeemer Lutheran

At the request of the Canadian Legion, a special memorial service will be conducted at Redeemer Lutheran Church on Sunday, Nov. 7th, at 8:00 p.m. The pastor, Rev. E. B. Fox, will be in charge of the service. Members of the Legion, the Ladies' Auxiliary and the general public are most cordially invited. This service is in commemoration of those who laid down their lives in the First World War, the Second World War and the Korean conflict.

POPPY DAY TO BE HELD THIS SATURDAY

The annual Poppy Day, with Cubs and Scouts doing the selling, will be held this year on Saturday, November 6th. The Legion church parade will be held in Redeemer Lutheran Church on Sunday, November 7. Those taking part are asked to assemble in the church basement at 7:45 p.m. and are requested to wear medals.

This year the memorial service on November 11 will be conducted by Rev. C. A. Armstrong at the C.P.R. Millia members and other organizations wishing to take part are asked to report to the armories at 10:30 a.m.

The annual turkey supper sponsored by the Legion and auxiliary will be held in the armories Thursday evening, November 11.

EAST NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

There was a very nice crowd gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bittner Saturday evening to honor the new-nick Mr. and Mrs. James Smith. A shower, open house and a dance was enjoyed by all those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Schumaker and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Marsh and family Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfie Thompson and the former's mother motored to Calgary Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Neufeld were Thursday evening callers on Mr. and Mrs. Schumaker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thompson were Sunday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. Schumaker, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bittner, were Tuesday evening callers on Mr. and Mrs. Alfie Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Marsh and family spent Friday and Saturday at Vulcan visiting friends and relatives and returned to their home on Sunday night.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Jay Todd of Ellingham passed away suddenly Sunday. Sympathies are extended to his family.

Joey Schumaker spent Tuesday night with Heather Marsh.

Ann and Linda Shells spent the long weekend at the farm.

The following parties were weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schumaker and son Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Clendenen; Les and Reg Schumaker; an afternoon caller was Norman Neufeld.

Mr. and Mrs. Persinger visited with their son, Bill, and Mr. and Mrs. Weber and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Schumaker and girls were Friday business visitors in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Neufeld were Thursday visitors in Calgary.

BERGEN NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The Bergen Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Dave Davidson on Thursday, October 28. Date for the annual sale was set for November 19 at the Bergen hall.

The ministerial convention of the United Missionary Churches of Alberta was held at the local church on Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Meals were provided by the Women's Missionary Society at the church.

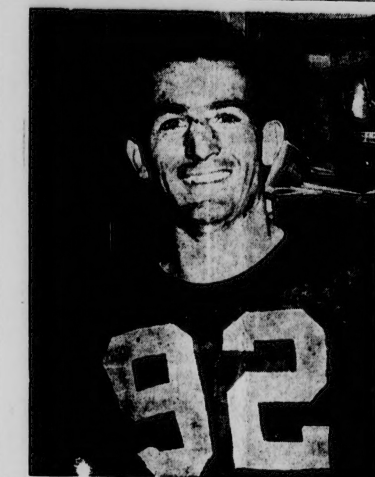
Mrs. D. O. Clark is home following a visit with her mother at Drumheller.

Miss Sharon Clark entertained a number of friends at a Halloween party Saturday afternoon.

A party for the young people was held at the Ratcliff home on Saturday evening.

Recent visitors at the J. J. and Dave Davidson homes were Mr. and Mrs. Walt Davidson and family of Lacombe, and Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Avery and family and Mrs. Jean Moush of Calgary.

We are sorry to hear that Reg Admussen has been ill.



Sam Etcheverry, Montreal Alouettes' very capable quarterback, unleashed an attack of hurricane force against the Hamilton Tiger Cats in Montreal recently when he pitched his team to a one-sided 46-11 victory. Sam completed 26 out of 36 attempts for an unbelievable 586 total yards sailed through the air. This mark has far surpassed anything recorded in league play in North America.

Ramblers Hockey Club Plan For New Season

Those press reports, you've been reading in some of the smaller papers (who said Olds Gazette!) about the future of the Didsbury Ramblers Hockey Club not functioning this year can now be officially discounted.

Members of the executive have been working undercover of late and have come up with some good news in the way of player material.

Following a visit to the training camp of Lethbridge Native Sons, a potent team in junior hockey circles in the province, members of the executive have announced the signing of goalkeeper Ken Brown of Vermilion, sub-goalie with Native Sons last season; defenceman Larry Law, 18 years old, 185 lbs., who performed last season with Calgary Buffaloes; and Leigh McMillan, left winger, last year with Edmonton Maple Leafs of the junior circuit.

There is a very fine possibility that three more players who fail to make the grade with the Native Sons will be added to the local roster. Besides the players mentioned four more "dark horses" are expected to try out with the club when practices set underway shortly.

Holdovers from last year are expected to be Glen Roberts, Trev Morgan, Lloyd Devine, Leverage Neufeld, Bob Dumont and Don Stevens. Also expected to turn out with the club are Howie Roberts and Bill Francis of Carstairs, and Don Irwin.

The Ramblers will hold their first workout of the season at Red Deer on Thursday night of this week. Any player who wishes to try out with the team is certainly welcome to don the blades at the pre-season workout. Cuts will leave here for Red Deer at 7 p.m. on Thursday.

Jackson W.I. Has Interesting Meeting

The October meeting of the Jackson W.I. was held at the home of J. J. Olson, with 18 members and one visitor present. Roll call was answered with a helpful hint for the sick room.

Mrs. Hallet announced that 192 pounds of used wool had been sent to a blanket company. It was decided that the W.I. would join the Canadian Association of Consumers.

Mrs. S. Low gave a five-minute talk on "Let's Talk Turkey," giving some of her experiences in turkey raising and the proper feeds. The health convener, Mrs. C. Davies, gave a very interesting report on some of the new medicines of today, their uses and the history of them.

A one-minute silence was held in memory of Mrs. R. C. Ray, who passed away recently and who was a dear friend and neighbor of the members. She had been an institute member for many years. "Nearer My God To Thee" was sung.

"Our bit-of-fun" was conducted by Mrs. W. Bohannon.

Current Topics Discussed At Board Meeting

An enthusiastic and well attended meeting of the Didsbury Board of Trade was held in the basement of Knox United church on Friday evening. Approximately 30 members were in attendance.

Discussion centred around the new industrial development scheduled to get under way early in the new year, prospects of a shopping carnival and the question of credit and cash policy in the town and district.

A committee was set up to delve into details and interview merchants to get their opinion on the shopping carnival and a sufficient number are in favour of the event will be announced next week.

As to the subject of a credit and cash policy, it was decided to contact a qualified speaker to appear here on a future date and discuss the pros and cons of the idea. This will simply be a meeting to discuss the problem and all those interested, whether members of the Board of Trade or not, will be asked to sit in on the hearings. Merchants and others from neighboring towns and districts will also be invited to take part in the discussion.

The Bancroft United Church is having a baked ham supper at the Midway school on Nov. 10 from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Films will be shown after the supper. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoskin and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hoskin and family were in Olds on Sunday visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. Roy Brown, who was a patient in the Olds hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Swanson were Monday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. Schultz.

Mrs. E. Hunter is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. H. Swanson.

The Bancroft Girls' Club had a very successful Halloween party at the Midway school on Saturday.

A speedy recovery is wished to Mrs. Jim McCulloch, who is to undergo an operation this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Swanson, motored to Didsbury on Saturday. Mrs. Swanson and Mrs. Hoskin attended the W.I. executive meeting at Mrs. Long's.

Special Meetings At Local Church

The United Missionary Church will be holding a series of meetings from Nov. 10 to 21st.

Rev. Norman Oke, of Kansas City, Miss., will be the guest speaker. At present Rev. Oke is directing the Christian Science Training program for the Church of the Nazarene.

Mr. Oke was born in Manitoba, the son of a circuit-riding Methodist minister and has spent much of his life in Canada. He is no stranger to many in the Didsbury district and those who have had the privilege of sitting under his ministry are looking forward with keen anticipation to this meeting.

Make plans now to attend these services and bring your friends with you. Rev. F. L. Long is the soloist, with Mr. Widmark at the piano.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The Mountain View W.I. are having a showing of cancer and other films on Nov. 5. This will be a social evening with two speakers, Mr. Myron Gebers, on the highlights of the Farm Young People's Week and Mr. Norman Archer on the United Nations. There will also be a musical number and lunch will be served.

Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. A. Gebers were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blain and Mr. and Mrs. Les Lee Grand.

Visitors Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunter and family were Mr. and Mrs. P. Krykewy of Rockyford. Mr. George Morasch was a supper guest.

Sympathy is extended to the Todd family on the passing of Mr. J. Todd on Sunday. He will be greatly missed by everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. James Worral and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Clavin visited Sunday with Mr. Ed Craig and Gladys Craig.

CURLING CLUB TO MEET ON THURSDAY

Didsbury Men's Curling Club will hold its annual meeting on Thursday, November 4th, at 8:30 p.m., in the waiting room of the curling rink.

Anyone interested in any way are invited to attend.

DIDSBURY MARKETS

BUTTERFAT
Delivery Bais at Crystal Dairy

Special

No. 1 50c

No. 2 45c

Table 40c

60c

50c

40c

30c

20c

10c

5c

2c

1c

50c

40c

30c

20c

10c

5c

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Chesterfield Suite extra special \$175.00
2-Piece, 100 per cent nylon, in wire and beige rubberized frize. A truly smart suite.

2-Piece Davenport Suite — Anniversary Special, reduced to \$114.00
Green, mushroom and red. All wool frize, double spring construction.

9-Piece Walnut Dining Room Suite — Anniversary Special, reduced to \$265.00
Buffet, china cabinet, table and six chairs. Reg. \$310.00.

10-Piece Davenport and Chair Suite — Anniversary Special \$184.00
Wire frize double spring construction (also in green), walnut round coffee table, end table, two ash trays, one lamp table, two pictures and one scatter rug.

10-Piece Bedroom Suite — Anniversary Special \$158.95
Walnut, dresser, chiffonier, bed, slat spring, spring-filled mattress, two vanity lamps, two pillows and one bed lamp.

One Only Quaker Oil Heater — Anniversary Special \$124.00
50,000 B.T.U. complete with fan.

Combination China Cabinet and Buffet — Anniversary Special \$99.50
In walnut, one you will have pride in for the rest of your life. Regular \$149.50.

Rancher Type Chrome Table Up from \$119.00
Extending to 72", with four matching chairs. Extra special on these tables.

Discount On All Chrome Suites During Our Anniversary Sale —

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AND ALL OUR IMPORTED LAMPS AT 50 PER CENT DISCOUNT.

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are agents for Galleon Hovis, which every farm truck should have. See us before ordering. Phone R1413, Carstairs. 39-11c

FOR RENT—Sump pumps, Shot Guns, Washing Machines, Radios, Rifles, Electric Motors, Gas Engines, Power Lawn Mower, Sleeping Bags. Fee's General Retail, Phone 221. 34-11c

FOR SALE — One new steel shower unit, complete. Shower cabinet with plastic shower curtain. Sale price, only \$49.00. Phone 221, Fee's General Retail. 42-11c

FOR SALE — Oil burner, stock tank heater. Sale price only \$21.00. Phone 221, Fee's General Retail. 42-11c

FOR SALE — White enamel Beach kitchen range. House for sale or rent, one block west of Municipal Office. Phone 88, Didsbury. 42-3p

FOR SALE — 2-inch light narrow butt hinges; 1 dozen pair \$1.00. Phone 221, Fee's General Retail. 42-11c

FOR SALE — Taylor-Made Double Edge Razor Blades. Honed in oil, finest surgical steel, 5 blades for 10c; 100 blades for \$1.00. Phone 221, Fee's General Retail. 42-11c

FOR RENT — Frame building, 42' by 25', main street, Didsbury. Light, water and sewer. Apply A. I. Schumacher, Calgary, Alberta, phone 21717 or 21975. 31-11c

IMPORTANT NOTICE — Those wishing their fillers sharpened please contact Art Grange, phone 228, before the spring rush starts. 43-41p

FOR SALE — 50 Light Sussex cross pullets. Phone 54, Didsbury. 43-2p

AGRICULTURAL SERVICE BOARD NOTES
W. K. Snyder
Field Supervisor

Kill Those Coyotes: I have been receiving word from the men who are using them that the coyote killing devices which are now being used are very effective. I mean by that the cyanide guns and poison pellets. One man in the Westward Ho district reported that he knows of 22 coyotes accounted for in his area through the use of these poison devices.

Properly used, there is hardly any danger. A few basic precautions must however be observed. These poisons are particularly useful to the turkey rancher to protect his flock. This time of year, the coyote is hungry and will raid the turkey yard at night and could cause considerable damage in one raid. The poison pellets and cyanide guns are so sent that they are very attractive to Mr. Coyote and he will usually take the poison in preference to anything else.

If you have coyote troubles or need a new supply of material, please come to my office in the Municipal building any Friday afternoon from 1 to 5 p.m. Bring along the shells that have been fired as we re-load them for use again.

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NOTICE
The second questionnaire for 1954 has been mailed to all farm owners in the Municipal District of Mountain View, No. 49. The form is an important one and authorities request that it be returned to the local municipal office prior to November 15th, 1954.

NOTICE BY-LAW NO. 641
Being a by-law regarding the riding of bicycles on the sidewalks of the Town of Didsbury.

The Mayor and Council of the Town of Didsbury in Council assembled enacts as follows:
No person shall ride a bicycle on any sidewalk or sidepath within the Town of Didsbury.

Any person violating this by-law shall have his bicycle and licence confiscated by the Town Constable; and the same shall not be returned to the owner until such time as the Town Constable deems it advisable.

NOTICE
Shooting of 22 rifles or high power rifles within the town limits is strictly prohibited. Anyone apprehended doing such will be prosecuted.

By order Town Council,
P. L. EVANS,
Secretary-Treasurer

NOTICE — Would the person who borrowed Norman Tugle's wheel barrow, please return same. 11p

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank all those who made the chicken supper at Westcott on October 27th a success. Proceeds netted about \$100.
WESTCOTT UNITED W.A.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank all the kind friends and neighbors for cards and flowers sent during our recent bereavement in the passing of our brother and son.
p MRS. M. VINEY and Family

CARD OF THANKS
Your kind expressions of sympathy is deeply appreciated and gratefully acknowledged in my recent bereavement of the loss of my mother.
p (MRS.) EILEEN WILKINS

LOST — Small black Scotch terrier, Didsbury licence No. 5. Phone 43 or contact Harold Clayton. 11c

FOR SALE — Oat straw. Contact Don Aussenhus, phone 2112. 43-3c

FOR SALE — good collie female pups. Anyone wishing to own one, phone 2211. These dogs are good heelers. 42-1p

FOR SALE — Used Senator No. 118 pipeless coal furnace, in good condition, \$75.00. Phone 21 or contact W. A. Ross. 43-1c

FOR SALE — Furnished house, fully modern. Five rooms and bath. Apply Abe Harder or phone 211, Carstairs. 37-11c

FOR SALE OR RENT — House near school. Water on tap. Upstairs and downstairs could be rented separately if desired. Phone 240, Didsbury. 42-3c

FOR SALE — Half yard of one-inch crushed gravel. Apply Howard Foot. 43-11p

MOUNTAIN VIEW HEALTH UNIT NO. 7

Clinics will be held at the following points in the district during the month of November:
Carstairs United Church Hall — Tuesday, 23rd.

Cremora Legion Hall — Tuesday, 2nd.

Crossfield United Church Hall — Thursday, 4th.

Didsbury Health Unit Office — Thursday, 26th.

Olds Agricultural School — Friday, 12th and 26th.

Sundre W.I. Library — Tuesday, 9th.

Water Valley — Cancelled until further notice.

All clinics: 2 to 4 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
Man's true selfhood as the spiritual image and likeness of God, ever free from sin, sickness and suffering will be emphasized at Christian Science services Sunday. The Lesson-Sermon entitled "Adam and Fulfillment" includes the following passage from the King James Version of the Bible (Genesis 1:27): "So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them."
The unchanging perfection of the man of God's creation will be brought out in passages to be read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, including the following (476:28-32): "When speaking of God's children, not the children of men, Jesus said: 'The Kingdom of God is within you; that is, truth and love reign in the real man, showing that man in God's image is unfallen and eternal.'"

OLDS DRIVE-IN

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3 and 4 —
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Tuesday, Nov. 16th

Anyone interested in entering cattle in this sale should write Box 21 or phan 474, Olds.

Sale Starts at 11:00 a.m.

That's at the Olds Auction Mart Ltd. on Tuesday, November 16th, with your Auctioneers . .

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CHAS. ROSEHILL
Licence No. 209

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Can Crop Insurance Work??

Wherever there's a risk there's a place for insurance. It may be fire, death, motor accident, or it may be crop failure. Where is there greater risk than growing a crop? Where are the consequences more serious if the gamble is lost?

Crop insurance has been the sporadic dream of prairie farmers, except those in the small crop areas; ever since settlers arrived. Hail insurance fills a need but a very restricted one. Drouth, flood, rust, worms, ducks and a dozen other hazards can ruin a crop.

There is a form of crop insurance, under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act, it is operated by the federal government. The premium charged is one per cent of the value of the crop. Benefits are paid only where the crop loss is over a wide area—at least 18 sections in a block. If the wheat yield is under four bushels per acre the payment is \$2.50 per

acre on half the cultivated acreage up to \$5,000; if from four to eight bushels it is \$1.50 per acre up to \$300. So this is hardly better than a measure relief measure. The \$300 to \$500 doesn't go very far on a modern grain farm.

Yet the payments, small as they are, are more than double the amount paid into the fund. From the inception of the system in 1939 until a year ago, \$69,000,000 has been paid into the fund, but \$143,000,000 paid out. The deficit came out of the federal treasury and thus was paid by all the citizens of Canada.

Alberta farmers put about \$30,000,000 into the fund and took out about \$36,000,000, and Saskatchewan farmers \$38,500,000 and \$104,000,000 out. Manitoba, on the other hand, put in \$11,200,000 but took out less than one-third of that. Manitoba, of course, is much less subject

WESTCOTT NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

(Too Late For Last Week)

Congratulations to the newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Luft, who were married last Friday evening.

Friends of Mr. John Jacobson will be glad to hear he was released from hospital last week and he spent a few days with his son, Linden Jacobson before going to Sundre.

A large group of friends from Westcott district attended the funeral of Mrs. R. C. Ray of Carstairs on Saturday afternoon last.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. R. MacFarlane is progressing nicely in Calgary hospital and hopes to be released soon.

Mr. Les Gooftjen arrived home last Thursday from the north country on his regular days off, to visit at his father's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Good and children were Sunday evening visitors at the home of the latter's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Gooftjen.

Mr. R. MacFarlane's brother and a niece from the coast spent a few days visiting here with him while Mrs. MacFarlane is a patient in a Calgary hospital.

Mr. A. Vipond is out of hospital and at home, but is required to visit his doctor in Calgary periodically. We understand his broken bones are mending nicely.

Mrs. Lena Sanderson and Mr. Chas. Brown accompanied the former's relatives to Banff on Sunday for the day.

to crop failure.

There is one serious objection to this from the public's viewpoint. Why should the scheme be subsidized. A national agriculture disaster such as the price in 1932 or the complete prairie-wide crop failure in 1937 would call for national assistance but there has been no such trouble since P.F.A.A. was started. The intervening 15 years have been better than normal. Can't wheat-growing be at least self-supporting in a period like that? Can't the farmers pay their own way? If the premium should have been two per cent instead of one per cent, why wasn't it raised?

And from the farmers' viewpoint there are several objections. First, the payments are inadequate. Second, the system does not allow for an individual loss. Unless a big group of farmers suffer crop failure, none is paid. And third, the good districts are perpetually supporting the poor districts, districts that perhaps ought to be taken out of grain.

Manitoba as a province is \$9,000,000 poorer because of P.F.A.A., while Saskatchewan is \$65,500,000 richer and Alberta \$16,000,000 richer.

But the same difficulty and objection would arise within a Manitoba scheme as is now in the limited prairie scheme. Some parts of Manitoba would never benefit from the fund and therefore feel they should not be charged.

If the scheme were voluntary, only the poorer farmers and poorer districts would participate. Then, it would be much harder for it to pay its way.

The Winnipeg Free Press sums up the problem:

It is clear that farmers and farm organizations in Manitoba want a comprehensive crop insurance plan. That wish deserves every sympathy, provided that the scheme is genuinely one of insurance. The government may have to stand as a guarantor against the insurance fund being broken by heavy drains before it has built up a sufficient reserve. But that should be the limit of the involvement. On those terms crop insurance would be of general benefit to farmers and to the country as a whole. What is not clear is whether the farmers are willing and able to pay the cost of such a scheme.

The Manitoba committee may well have to decide that the answer is, on provincial basis, "no," but that a wider scheme for the prairies as a whole—in effect replacing P.F.A.A.—would be more practicable and more acceptable.

Insurance, as we understand it, is paid for entirely by the insured. Except in times of national disaster no system of crop insurance should have to depend on subsidy from the general taxpayer. And insurance also implies actuarial distribution of the cost. Just as the careful motorist should have cheaper car insurance than the careless one, or the healthy citizen cheaper life insurance than the sick one, so the good farmer and the good district should pay less for the insurance because they will collect from it less often.

In theory crop insurance is feasible enough but we doubt that a system can be devised that is fair, practicable and acceptable. And it must be all three to succeed. In brief, we doubt that farmers are ready to pay the cost and make the necessary psychological adjustment.

Nevertheless the investigations and findings of the Manitoba commission will be watched with very keen interest in both Alberta and Saskatchewan. They have exactly the same problem as Manitoba, but on a much bigger scale.

(Editorial in The Calgary Albertan)

Farmers' Union Plans Round-up

Close to 2,000 organizers out of 4,500 seeded have already undertaken to cover the province in the one-day membership drive of the Farmers' Union of Alberta, a statement from P.U.A. Round-up director, Waldo D. Summers, disclosed this week.

Readers of the weekly press of Alberta will be informed by advertising of the exact date of the drive. It was learned. A blanket coverage in the form of advertisements is scheduled to appear in some 70 odd country publications circulating in the province and in the neighboring B.C. block. Other means for publicizing the event for members and sympathizers will be by radio and direct mailing.

"On behalf of the Farmers' Union of Alberta we wish to express appreciation of the excellent publicity afforded our movement by the rural press in this province," it was stated by Mrs. P. Molen, provincial secretary of the union and W. D. Summers, campaign director.

TOO MUCH FARMER ADVICE

At a meeting of the High River branch of the Farm Women's Union of Alberta a resolution was passed protesting the volume of advice on radio programs directing farmers when to harvest, when and how to salvage feed, and so on. In reporting the meeting the High River Times says: "It is felt that the radio time could be spent much more usefully in trying to solve the decline in price of farm products and the high cost of farm machinery, gas, oil, etc."

In support of the resolution it was maintained that the average age of farmers is 57 years and if they haven't yet learned when to harvest and other similar fundamental farm practice, radio advice wouldn't be of much help.

One thing at a time, and all things in succession. That which grows slowly endures.

Josiah Gilbert Holland



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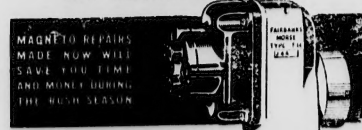
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Through The
Study Window

By REV. C. C. ARMSTRONG

Somebody remarked the other day that they liked the sound of dried leaves crunching under foot. It is a most interesting observation, and I would like to know what they had in mind. Does it suggest to them the sad and mournful music of the departing summer, or does it awaken memories to childhood when a huge pile of autumn leaves was an open invitation for one to jump upon the unprotesting mass. Children love to jump upon the springs of the beds, and a leap upon the dried up leaves is nearly as good, and furthermore will not be followed up by a scolding.

Of course, the sound of leaves underfoot is also a reminder that some raking is in order. Friend wife, in nearly every household, eventually prevails upon hubby to do a little tidying up. It is almost as much work for her to get him to work as it would be for her to do it herself, but this does not always occur to the feminine mentality. After all the leaves have fallen the yard does look rather messy, but the smell of burning foliage is quite distressing to some, and according to the masculine mind, leaves should be left to rot, quietly, where they lie, in order to enrich the soil and to avoid causing any offensive smell of smoke — but this latter argument seems to have no effect.

Of course, there are both men and women who are tidy-rake-up-the-yard types, and there are both men and women who are untidy-leave-it-for-another-time until the wind has blown it away types. As for me, I incline to the latter persuasion. By process of rationalization, I am quite convinced that there is an undue emphasis on tidiness and neatness.

We can gather up the few leaves on our own little lawns, but out in the vast forests no amount of raking will suffice, nor is it desirable that this should be done. Similarly, to demand neat little answers about divine things is all to the good up to a point, but not beyond that. The Almighty is shockingly careless about the way He permits us to stumble about over unanswered questions. His "field of operations" is too large for our small rakes. He sends his rain upon the just and the unjust, which according to some, is hardly fair. Why should he permit wars, famine, pestilence, hurricane and flood? Why should he give us an easy solution to racial issues and economic problems, and enable us to tidy up the world's affair in a matter of, oh say, a fortnight. Why should he allow His son to be put to death upon a rough, unpainted wooden cross by a group who didn't really grasp the significance of what they were doing? And so I wonder how many of us like the sound of dry leaves crunching underfoot.

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IN ALBERTA

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This is the reason why welfare is administered by the Department of Public Welfare has always been an integral part of the Alberta Government's welfare programme which, with the exception of the Blind Persons' Allowances and the Old Age Assistance, is financed entirely out of Provincial revenues. Ten years ago the total expenditures for this purpose amounted to \$5,216,887, while the amount provided for the present fiscal year has been set at \$10,902,945.

The responsibility for providing assistance in the form of food, fuel, clothing and shelter and, when necessary, hospital and medical services to indigent persons rests with the municipality in which residence has been acquired. The Province provides grants to municipalities up to sixty percent of the cost of such assistance. The cost of providing the same form of assistance to persons who have no municipal residence is assumed by the Province.

Single homeless, unemployed men who have not acquired municipal residence are cared for in the Provincial hostels at Calgary and Edmonton. Those who are not in need of any special care are transferred to healthy atmosphere at the Gunn Welfare Dept.

The training and rehabilitation of Alberta's Metis population is also provided by the Province. In Colonies established in various parts of Alberta more than three hundred mixed blood are living a protected life which offers them a future of independence and material success. Agriculture, lumbering and fishing are engaged in, providing revenue and a sense of self-sufficiency to the Colonists. Provision is made for the education of children and their spiritual welfare is provided for by representatives of various religious denominations. General stores operate in two of the larger Colonies supplying food and clothing at reasonable prices.

To enable municipalities to meet the housing requirements of their elderly or infirm citizens the Province has made provision for the payment of construction grants to any municipality which builds homes for its aged and infirm. If the municipality is required to pay for any of their residents who have been transferred to larger centers, which situation seldom exists, a grant up to 50% of the cost thereof is available from the Province.

Under an agreement with the Government of Canada the Alberta Government has set up a Committee to deal with the rehabilitation of disabled persons by arranging medical treatment where necessary and for vocational training with a view to enable such persons to become self-supporting.

Children who have become permanent wards of the Government are placed in foster homes and as a rule are available for adoption.

The entire cost of administration of these services and of Old Age Assistance, Blind Persons' Allowances, Widows' Pensions, Disabled Persons' Pensions, Supplementary Allowances and Mothers' Allowances is assumed by the Province. Of the payments made to recipients of Old Age Assistance and Blind Persons' Allowances a portion is recoverable from the Government of Canada, while in the case of Child Welfare and Mothers' Allowances the municipalities in which the beneficiaries reside or have acquired residence are liable for a portion of the amount expended.

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John G. Diefenbaker, Q.C., M.P., of Prince Albert, Sask., will be the main speaker when the Canadian Council of Christians and Jews, Western Division, observes its annual meeting in Calgary on Wednesday, Nov. 17. He is a member of the Western board of directors of the council.

Well known and popular throughout the west, Mr. Diefenbaker is a member of the Bars of Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia. He was vice-president of the Canadian Bar Association from 1939 until 1942.

Born in Ontario of Baptist stock and a Canadian family through four generations on both sides, Mr. Diefenbaker served overseas in the First World War, returning to Saskatchewan to practice law. He is a gradu-



JOHN G. DIEFENBAKER

ate of the University of Saskatchewan, from which he received his M.A. and LL.B. degrees.

He has long been a familiar figure in the House of Commons. In the general elections of 1940, he became Conservative member for Lake Centre, a position he retained through the elections in 1945 and 1949. In 1954 he returned to represent Prince Albert.

Mr. Diefenbaker was chairman of the Conference of Empire Commonwealth Associations in 1942, when for the first time United States senators and congressmen attended. He was a member of the Canadian delegation of Parliamentary Associations in Bermuda in 1946 and a member of the Canadian delegation to the United Nations in San Francisco in 1945. He was a Canadian delegate to the United Nations Assembly in 1951 and 1952.

His address in Calgary on November 17th will highlight the first year of operation for the Western division of the council, whose purpose is to promote justice, amity, co-operation and understanding among Canadians differing in race, religion or nationality.

The sense of humor is the oil of life's engine. Without it the machinery grinds and groans. No lot is so hard, no aspect of things so grim, but it relaxes before a hearty laugh.

B. S. Merriam.

Rushing around smartly is no proof of accomplishing much.

Mary Baker Eddy

The secret of success is constancy to purpose.

Benjamin Disraeli

M.V.B.C. NEWS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The young people of the college and of the church enjoyed a Halloween party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Shantz. Some 60 young folks were there and they were gratified to find that Shirley was home for a week and could enjoy the good time with them.

Mrs. M. A. Finlay was a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Taylor for several days. She attended the Ministerial Retreat at Bergen before continuing on her way to Vancouver Island where she will visit Mrs. William Falk.

Rev. Smith and Rev. Newton of the National Business Missionary Society are visiting the College for several days this week. Both have taken classes in missions and spoken in chapel services. On Wednesday night Rev. Smith will speak in the United Missionary Church and show pictures of his work on the mission field.

Another student has arrived on the campus. Earl Sandin of Bashaw is a first-year student and enrolled for the regular course on Monday. The Tweed brothers from Condon are also expected this week.

Young people desiring private voice lessons or piano lessons are asked to register this week if possible. Our teachers still have room for such and it is an opportunity that young folks should not miss.

The Nazarene choir will appear in the Didsbury United Missionary Church this Friday night at 8 p.m. Mr. Taylor, the director, in the Nazarene College, will conduct this choir in their recital and the public of Didsbury is cordially invited to attend. An offering will be taken to defray expense. The students of the college will entertain the choir members after the concert.

The date for Open House has been changed from November 26 to December 3rd at 8 p.m. We want the people of Didsbury and district to plan now to attend this function. Program and lunch will be provided as in previous years. Opportunity for those who wish is also provided to give a silver donation to the expense and help of the college. Don't forget the date — December 3rd.

INCANDESCENT LIGHT

We take so much of modernity for granted that it might do us well to pause and reflect that Saturday, Oct. 23rd, was the 75th anniversary of the invention of the incandescent lamp. Thomas Alva Edison had worked on the idea at his Menlo Park laboratory for many months, testing fibres that would stand the strain and the heat of the required electrical resistance. The first filament was, of course, a carbon thread solution. This was never considered the complete answer, but it was nearly twenty-five years later that metal filaments were discovered and the present-day efficiency assured. In spite of fluorescent lighting developed about twenty years ago, the incandescent lamp still is the major source of illumination, both indoors and outdoors. Edison left the world many rich discoveries in the field of electrical science, but none can surpass the service to mankind that the contribution of the incandescent lamp has given.

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Little Items of Local Interest

Mr. Walter Scheidt Jr. left for Banff on Sunday, where is taking a two weeks' leadership course at the Banff School of Fine Arts.

Misses Edith and Marion Sherrick returned by plane from Elkhart, Indiana recently after spending a vacation with their brothers, Arnold and Ward Sherrick and families.

St. Cyprian's W.A. held a very successful bazaar, tea and food sale on Saturday, when \$170 was realized. Mrs. George Wilkins held the lucky ticket (No. 47) on the blanket.

Mr. Richard Law was a weekend visitor at his home here and left today (Wednesday) for Montreal where he will be stationed with the R.C.A.F.

Mr. Ed Klimke and Mr. Jack Robertson sold a load of two-year-old Hereford bulls last week. The buyer was Mr. J. Wager of Montana.

A memorial service was held Sunday evening at St. Cyprian's Anglican Church, when brass altar vases and a hymn board were dedicated to the memory of the late Joseph Freeman. Mr. Freeman was church warden of this parish for seven years and Rev. E. R. Doyle paid tribute to his unselfish devotion to church and community during his lifetime.

—St. Hilda's Chapter, O.E.S., will hold its bazaar, coffee bar, tea, food and candy sale in the Masonic dining hall on Saturday, Nov. 20, from 2 to 6 p.m.

—Boys and girls... Toyland will be opening soon at Leeson's Hardware — Dolls, games, books and toys at lowest prices. Watch for it.

Lucky ticket numbers at Berscht's sale are as follows: 1st, 9918; 2nd, 4538; 3rd, 1044. Holders can claim their prize by taking tickets to the store.

—Knox United W.A.'s tea, bazaar and food sale will be held in the church basement on Saturday, Dec. 4 at 2:30 p.m.

—The regular meeting of Mons Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held on November 9th in the Lions hall, instead of November 11.

Morning prayer will be held at St. Cyprian's Anglican Church on Sunday, Nov. 7th at 11:45 a.m.

Mr. Pete Liesemer and daughter Alice of Midway, Ont., and Mr. J. V. Berscht, Miss Grace Hunsperger and Mr. Gordon Boettger, were supper guests at the E. N. Boettger home on Monday evening. Mr. Liesemer and E. N. Boettger knew each other in their boyhood days in the east.

—The regular meeting of the afternoon group of Knox United W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. Charlotte Thompson, Thursday, Nov. 4th at 2:45 p.m.

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St. Cyprian's W.A. wish to thank all those who contributed to making its tea and bazaar a success on Saturday, October 30.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS
In the Estate of ELIZABETH HODGSON, late of the town of Didsbury, in the Province of Alberta, married woman, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named deceased, ELIZABETH HODGSON, who died on the 14th day of May A.D. 1954, are required to file with Henry F. Gailson, the undersigned solicitor, by the 10th day of December A.D. 1954, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Executrix will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to her attention.

DATED at the Town of Olds, in the Province of Alberta, this 23rd day of October A.D. 1954.

Henry F. Gailson, solicitor for Lillian McDonald, Executrix, of the Estate of Elizabeth Hodgson, deceased, c/o P.O. Box 192, Olds, Alberta.

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Coming Events

—Square dancing for students, 12 years of age and over, again this Friday, Lions hall, 8 p.m.

—Eric Ratledge, optometrist, assistant of K. Roy Maclean, announces the date of his next visit as Monday, Nov. 8, morning only, at the Rosebud hotel. Consult in the city office, 1014 Greyhound building.

—St. Anthony's Altar Society will hold a home-cooking sale on November 13th in the Red and White store.

—The Didsbury W.I. will hold a food sale, bazaar and raffle of a quilt, at the Massey-Harris showrooms on November 6th, commencing at 2:00 p.m.

There will be a square dance practice on Saturday, Oct. 30 at Lone Pine hall, starting at 8:30 p.m. Anyone wishing to join the club please attend at Don Martin will start again on November 6th. Pot luck lunch.

FALLEN TIMBER

(From Our Own Correspondent)

One Sunday several weeks ago a partridge flew through the front window of the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Dick. Fortunately there was only one casualty, the bird. However glass was scattered all over the room. We are sorry to hear that baby Gay Pyten has been ill with a bad cold.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McGaffin of Didsbury were luncheon guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Howton recently.

A quilting bee was held at the home of Mrs. Joe McGaffin. The quilt is to be sold by the Busy Bees at their annual auction.

Mrs. C. Hayes and Mrs. F. Webb were visitors in the district last week. Graveling has been completed on the rebuilt piece of road. We are also pleased to see a bit of gravel on the drive in the school yard. Also the drive way into the church has been gravelled, for which we are very grateful.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Moncey and family were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Teynor and family on Saturday evening.

A very successful Halloween dance was held in the school Friday evening.

The teacher, Mrs. E. Luft, and the students of Fallen Timber school put on a Halloween party Wednesday afternoon for the mothers. Contests and games, followed by a lunch, were enjoyed by all.

Work is to commence again this Saturday on the new church. Come and bring your hammer, lots of help is needed.

Next Sunday Mr. Rasmussen of Vancouver is to be the guest speaker at the Fallen Timber Foursquare Gospel church. This young man is a talented musician. Come and bring your friends. Service commences at 11 a.m. in the Fallen Timber school. Mr. and Mrs. Joe McGaffin and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Loughheed and Mrs. O. Moore were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore on Sunday.

WORTHY GRAND MATRON

VISITS EASTERN STAR

On Monday evening, October 25, Mrs. Elizabeth Harte, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Alberta, O.E.S., paid her official visit to St. Hilda's Chapter. The work was exemplified by the officers.

Visitors were present from Strathmore, Three Hills, Irricana, Calgary, Crossfield, Olds, Bowden and Drumheller.

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